

Amendments to Specification

Unnumbered Title Page and Page No. 1: change title of invention to --A METHOD FOR USING A LASER BEAM TO APPLY WEAR-REDUCING MATERIAL TO TOOL JOINTS--

P. 1, line 7, after "1/25/01" add --issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,428,858 B1 on August 6, 2002--.